

REMARKS

In the Notice of Drawing Inconsistency with Specification dated January 30, 2006, the Examiner observed that Figure 11 is referred to by the Specification, but is not listed in the "Brief Description of the Drawings" portion of the Specification. Accordingly, the Examiner has requested correction of the foregoing inconsistency.

In the present Amendment and Response, applicant has amended the "Brief Description of the Drawings" portion of the Specification to include the requested change. In addition, applicant has made various other changes to the "Brief Description of the Drawings" portion of the Specification to further clarify the intent of the Figures.

If there are any remaining matters that may be handled by telephone conference, the Examiner is kindly invited to call the undersigned at his convenience.

Respectfully submitted,

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